

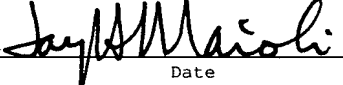
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Shinichi Takemura
Serial No.: 09/541,980
Filed : April 3, 2000
For : NETWORK SYSTEM, NETWORK CONTROL METHOD, AND
SIGNAL SENDER/RECEIVER
Group A.U.: 2141
Examiner : Adnan M. Mirza

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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby
petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend
the time for responding to the Office Action dated May 13, 2004
for two months from August 13, 2004 to October 13, 2004.

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Submitted herewith is a check for \$430.00 to cover the cost of this extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jay H. Maioli". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jay" and last name "Maioli" being clearly legible, and "H." as a small initial in the middle.

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